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TAGS: PBOR, US, UN, SF, WA, MO
SUBJECT: MOROCCO BRIEFED ON NAMIBIA PRIOR TO OAU MEETING

REF STATE 143426, STATE 142378, USUN 1964

1. IN VIEW OF SHORT TIME BEFORE OAU PREPARATORY MEETING IN
LIBREVILLE, CONTACT GROUP DECIDED THAT WEST GERMAN AMBASSADOR
WOULD CARRY OUT DEMARCHE ON NAMIBIA OUTLINED REFTELS ON BEHALF OF
ALL MEMBERS OF THE GROUP DURING PREVIOUSLY SCHEDULED CALL ON
FOREIGN MINISTRY SECRETARY OF STATE AHMED CHERKAOUI JUNE 22.
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CHERKAOUI WAS GENERALLY AWARE OF FIVE-POWER EFFORTS, BUT
HAD NOT KNOWN FULL DETAIL. HE COMMENTED THAT THE RESULTS OF
FIVE-POWER EFFORTS THUS FAR SEEMED FAVORABLE. HE DESIGNATED
MFA CHIEF OF AFRICAN AND ASIAN DIVISION MOHAMED BISBIS, WHO
LEAVING SAME DAY TO ATTEND OAU PREPARATORY SESSION IN LIBREVILLE,
AS PRIMARY MFA ACTION OFFICER ON THIS ISSUE. ON QUESTION OF AS
YET UNANNOUNCED GOM DECISION ON ATTENDANCE AT OAU SUMMIT,

CHERKAoui COMMENTD THAT LEVEL OF MOROCCAN DELEGATION WAS STILL AN OPEN QUESTION.

2. IN FOLLOW-UP CONVERSATION LATER SAME DAY WITH MFA SECRETARY GENERAL

ABDELHAKIM IRAQUI, CHARGE UNDERLINED JOINT NATURE OF WEST GERMAN AMBASSADOR'S PRESENTATION AND REINFORCED POINTS CONTAINED REFTELS. IRAQUI INDICATED HE ALSO DEPARTING IMMINENTLY FOR LIBREVILLE AND THAT MOROCCO HAD DECIDED IN PRINCIPLE TO ATTEND BOTH PREPARATORY SESSION AND SUMMIT ITSELF, BUT LEVEL OF ATTENDANCE AS YET UNDECIDED.

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